

College Moves Into Religious Emphasis Week

Committee Orders New Regulations Force at Once

According to a regulation recently made by the Committee of Admissions, Advanced Standing, Graduation, any student who does not follow the prescribed procedure for requesting excess credit will be automatically denied the right to carry excess credit. Students are expected to obtain permission for excess credit from their advisers, and after completing the petitions and acquiring their advisers' signature, the petitions are to be filed in the Registrar's office not later than the day of registration.

Students who are carrying excess credit numbered over 100 and are not eligible to do so will be withdrawn from those classes. If it is too late to enter a new course, a student will be forced to carry a reduced load. As it is the responsibility of the student to determine his eligibility to take excess credit numbered over 100, Mr. Robert P. Foster, registrar, advises that all students read the regulations on page 46 of the 1956-57 General Catalog concerning this matter.

Saturday, February 16, 1957, is the final dropping date for the second semester. After this date students will not be allowed to drop a course.

All seniors who expect to graduate at the end of the spring semester should report to the Registrar's office and sign applications for graduation, if they have not already done so. This is extremely important because failure to do so may mean a delay in the students' graduation.

Forty-One Seek Degrees at Close of First Semester

Forty-one students have applied for degrees at the close of the first semester.

They are as follows:

Bachelor of Science, James R. Astee, Ravenwood; Robert R. Elliott, Kansas City; Richard D. Rizzell, Liberty; Millard L. Hanning, Jr., Farragut, Iowa; Larry A. Jones, St. Joseph; Leland E. Springer, Red Oak, Iowa.

For the bachelor of science, education, secondary, Kevin W. Barker, Maryville; Thomas S. Bishop, King City; Virginia L. Buzzard Straub, Ridgeway; Nancy J. Dancer, Maryville; Marjorie Gearmont, Maryville; Henry A. Elliott, Farragut, Iowa; Samuel D. Elliott, Rosendale; Kathleen J. Ferguson, Hamburg, Iowa; Max A. Flandt, Braddyville, Iowa; Carl L. Fry, New Hampton; Harold A. Greaves, Plattsburg; Walter W. Hall, Bedford, Iowa; Lenore T. Lewis, Stanberry; Theodore D. Lockin, Clarinda, Iowa; Nancy R. Long, Maryville; Patricia Maher, Red Oak, Iowa; James M. Mahoney, Kansas City, Kansas; Robert L. McCartney, Tarkio; Joyce L. Osburn, Skidmore; James P. Ranck, Lenox, Iowa; Robert W. Straub, Kansas City, Kansas; Martin D. Williford, Burlington Junction; and James Wright, Maryville.

Bachelor of science in education, elementary-secondary, Max E. Bartram, Skidmore.

Bachelor of science in elementary education, Nancy J. Anderson, Essex, Iowa; Harry B. Crouse, Calnsville; Helen R. Dixon, Skidmore; Mildred P. Doughty, Jamesport; Carolyn G. Holt, Maryville; A. G. Steffen, St. Joseph; and Helen S. Turney, Edgerton.



IT'S THEIR WEEK . . . Bob K. James, Ted Reed, Jack Ballinger, Beverly Fletcher, and Joyce Ely, under the direction of Dr. J. G. Strong and Dr. Irene Mueller, are making plans for this year's Religious Emphasis Week.

Honors Are Gained In Record Number By College Students

Seventy-one students have been listed on the Dean's Honor Roll for the first semester. Those students having a grade point average of 3.0 are James K. Albertson, Karen Arms, Sandra Bill, Mary Carl, Edward Farquhar, Billy Geer, Alecia Glenn, Carolyn Ihrig, Charles Meek, and Janyce VanGilder.

Students who have an average of 2.5 or better are Joyce Barnes, Lise Bredeben, Joyce Butcher, Gene Carpenter, Wallace Carpenter, Helen Christenson, Robert Churchill, Betty Cooksey, Bette Cox, James Crafton, Rosayn Curry, Clifford Dahl, Marsha Daniels, Grace Denton, Shirley Dieterich, Raedene Eberle.

Robert Evans, Richard Fleming, Ramona Ford, Thelma Glassgow, David Glenn, David Hansen, Sherri Heath, Shirley Helts, Carolyn Henn, Richard Hensley, Harlan Higginbotham, Norman Higginbotham, Carol Jensen, Stephen Knott, Robert Lilley, Theodore Lockin, Norma Long, Vane Lucas.

Kent Maffit, Marilyn Manley, James Marley, Sylvia McConkey, Peggy McHarg, Rose Mary Meyer, Donald Moore, Aleta Mullins, Ralph Mulvania, Richard Neff, Fiona Nelson, Robert Nicholas, Roberta Nies, Harold Nigh.

Arthur Norton, Leonard Oliver, Arlene Scadden, Edna Shell, Naomi Shipley, Charlene Steiner, Barbara Stuber, Don Vaudt, Janet Waller, Jimmy Wiggins, Alois Wilkinson, Wilbur Wright.

Loyalties That Last is Theme Chosen

Religion in Life To Be Emphasized By Four Speakers

This year the Religious Emphasis committee has made arrangements for the presentation of four exceptionally well qualified speakers, and have organized a program of assemblies, personal conferences, and classroom talks designed to interest every student on the campus.

Speakers at the assemblies will be Dr. Ewart H. Wyle, pastor of the Country Club Christian Church of Kansas City; Mrs. W. Burnet Easton, counselor, social and religious worker; Dr. R. W. George, professor of psychology and philosophy at Tarkio College; and Father Gilbert Stack, director of the Conception Abbey Press.

Rev. Gilbert Stack to Speak "I Believe in Myself" will be the subject of the address given by Rev. Gilbert Stack to the all-college assembly on Monday at 10 a. m. Preceding the Rev. Gilbert Stack's talk there will be an address of welcome by Dr. J. W. Jones, president of the College.

Other assemblies will be held at 9 a. m., Tuesday and Wednesday, with the closing assembly planned for 10 a. m., Thursday.

Visitors to Meet With Students Committees have arranged for the assembly speakers to visit many classes during the week. The visitors will also talk before several of the campus organizations at regular or specially scheduled meetings.

Dr. Ewart H. Wyle was born in London, England. He lived with his missionary parents in Argentina for three years. From 1913 to 1920 he lived in Canada and he is now a naturalized citizen of this country.

Dr. Wyle Has Three Degrees Dr. Wyle attended Eureka College, Illinois; Transylvania College, Kentucky; and received his B. A. from the University of Louisville, his B. D. from the College of the Bible, Kentucky, and his D. D. from the Texas Christian University. Dr. Wyle has also done two years of post graduate work in the Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary and Temple University.

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MRS. W. BURNET EASTON

Dr. Jones Speaks On Research Topic At AAUP Meeting

President J. W. Jones will be the speaker at the American Association of University Professors meeting in the Lakeview room of the Union building, Friday, February 8, at 7:00 p. m.

President Jones' topic will deal with the needs of higher education in Missouri. Dr. Jones has been connected with a research program on this subject.

This meeting is open to all faculty members and other interested persons. Dr. Dale J. Blackwell is in charge of the time and place of the meeting, and Dr. John S. Taylor is program chairman.

President Jones Becomes Representative of AACTE

Dr. J. W. Jones was recently named state liaison representative for the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education. The appointment was made by the organization executive council for a three year term ending December 31, 1959.

On February 14-16 Dr. Jones will participate in the ninth annual convention of the association to be held in Chicago.



DR. EWART H. WYLE

Dr. Dow to Speak Before AAUW Meet At Horace Mann

Dr. Blanche Dow will be the main speaker at the American Association of University Women meeting, Thursday, February 14, in the Horace Mann auditorium. Dr. Dow, former chairman of the foreign language department, is now president of Colley College.

Other speakers will be Mrs. Charles R. Bell, Miss Chloe Millikan and Mrs. Ferdinand M. Townsend. Miss Dorothy Smith and Mrs. Esther McDonald are program chairmen.

Members of the Twentieth Century Club, the Soroptimist Club and the Business and Professional Women's Club will be the guests of the AAUW. Hostess chairman is Mrs. Esther Knittel.

New members will be honored at a dinner at Armstrong's preceding the meeting. Miss Lois Simons, membership chairman, is in charge of the dinner arrangements.

For New Students!

An informal coffee hour for all new students on the campus will be held in the Union lounge, Wednesday, February 6, 4 p. m.

Members of the Union Board will be hosts and hostesses.

"Follow the Sun" Is APO's Choice For Polio Drive

"Follow the Sun," the story of the life of Ben Hogan, starring Glenn Ford, Anne Baxter, Dennis O'Keefe, June Havoc and Larry Keating, will be shown Thursday, Feb. 7, and Friday, Feb. 8, at 7:15 p. m. in the Horace Mann Auditorium.

All proceeds from these showings will go to the March of Dimes campaign which is being sponsored on the campus by Alpha Phi Omega.

The film deals mainly with the come-back Ben Hogan made after he was seriously injured in an automobile accident. Also in the film are some famous golf pros.

All students, faculty members, and friends are urged to attend to help the March of Dimes.

President Returns From Fort Worth

Dr. J. W. Jones, president of the College, returned last week from Fort Worth, Texas, where he and Mr. Emil O. Bayerl, architect of the new building program at the College, conferred with a group of directors of the Housing and Home Finance Agency of the United States government. Others present for the meeting were the supervising architect-engineer, the regional counsel, regional finance officer and the program co-ordinator.

Regulations were made regarding what must be done for the College to qualify for the loans for the program. According to Dr. Jones, a large amount of paper work must be completed.

No date has been set for letting bids on the building, but prospects are that ground will be broken for the work on, or before June 1, 1957.

"Every effort is being made to speed up the work," Dr. Jones reports.

Original Prints, For Sale, Are On Exhibit Now

The College Library has the privilege of exhibiting an art collection of original prints made and distributed by the Texas Printmakers. The exhibition will be in the lower hall of the library until February 9. It is hoped that this exhibition will further encourage public appreciation of fine, original prints.

All of the prints are for sale, thus providing a wonderful opportunity to possess an original work of art at a modest price. The prints, many of which are in color, include lithographs, etchings, linoleum and wood engravings, and serigraphs.

Vision Is Carried to Public

The Printmakers Guild, later changed to the Texas Printmakers, was organized in 1941 by a group of Texas women. Since then the group has become established among colleges, museums, and the general public. This is the only organization of its kind in the Southwest and probably in the country. A significant fact about the group is that most of its members carry their prints to completion; therefore, the vision of the artist is carried direct to the public.

William Rockhill Nelson Gallery, Kansas Print Exhibit, and Guggenheim Fellowship are only a few of the many recognitions won by this group. The members are represented by collections in the Metropolitan Museum, Library of Congress, and many other distinguished museums of art.

Prices Are Reasonable

"We have enjoyed these collections before, and there are some very good prints in this group," remarked Mr. James Johnson of the College Library. Mr. Johnson also feels that it is a good opportunity for anyone interested to own an original print because the prices are very reasonable.

Reading Lab Shows Benefit for College

Northwest Missouri State's Effective Reading Laboratory, located in Room 2 of the Library, has proved successful and popular with a variety of students.

Approximately one-third of each year's freshman class is required to enter and complete one semester's work in the reading laboratory. In addition, students who feel they need to improve their reading skill are also provided this service.

The program is centered around the use of the training film, the 16 series Harvard Films being currently used. The films emphasize the pattern of eye movements and phrasing control.

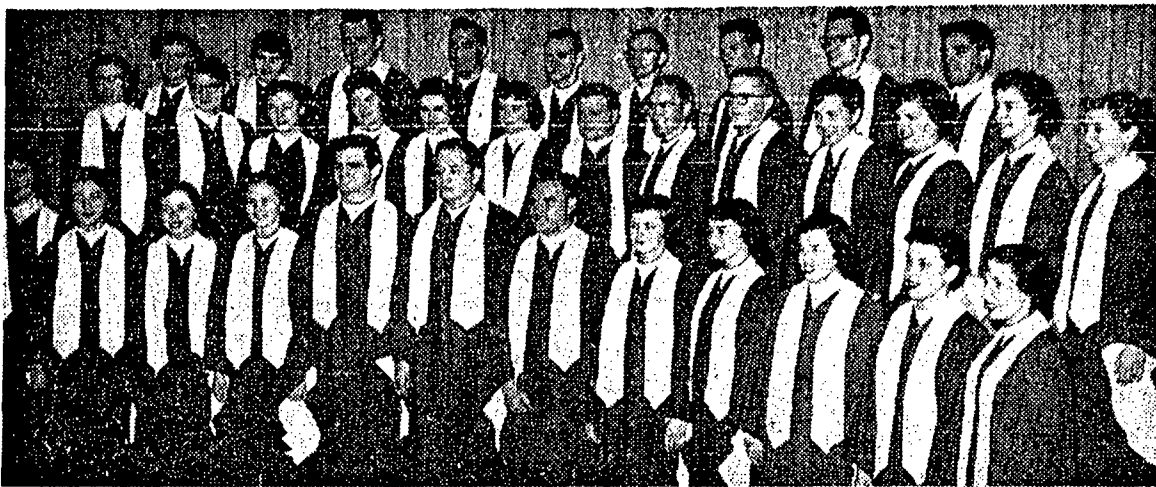
Other work in the effective reading laboratory involves use of workbooks, vocabulary building exercises, and a tachistoscope to increase the span of work recognition.

"Time" Pictures Work Of Alumnus' Camera

Time Magazine, in its Dec. 17th issue, featured some of the photographic work of a former student, J. H. Dieterich of Missoula, Montana. Mr. Dieterich is in the U. S. forest service in the Ogden, Utah, area, but he lives in colorful Missoula, Montana, at the base of Jumbo Mountain, on Rattlesnake Creek.

Mr. Dieterich was a student here in 1947. His father, Mr. Herbert Dieterich, is principal of Horace Mann, and his father-in-law, Mr. W. T. Garrett, is chairman of the biology department. John graduated from Colorado A. and M. in 1950 and received his master's from Washington University.

The camera used for his pictures of cloud formations is a 35 mm. Eastman given him by his wife. He uses no extra equipment. He is in charge of the photographic part of fire-fighting, getting pictures and taking care of cameras and equipment.



SING, SING, SING . . . Pictured above is the forty-voice Tower Choir of the College. Under the direction of Mr. Gilbert Whitney, of the music faculty, the Choir recently completed its annual concert tour. Front row, left to right, are J. Elits, M. Fulton, P. Bush, M. McClure, C. Elliott, D. Dally, D. Herren, M. Howland, E. Benedict, W. Neal, C. Ogden, and B. Stuber. Second row, left to right, are K. Hopple, S. Noelck, N. Wharton, E. Hess, M. Maxwell, A. Roberts, D. White, R. Reith, S. Knott, S. Pittsinger, L. Bauer, S. McConkey, R. Shackson. Back row, left to right are H. Francisco, P. Drake, R. Williamson, R. Rowlett, G. Funkhouser, D. Hansen, G. Jones, J. Zahner, R. Rodriguez.

Man's Quest . . .

Man launched into life, asks himself, from whence do I come? what am I? where shall I go?, mysterious questions which draw him toward religion.

Our hearts crave the support and guidance of religious faith. We believe in the existence of God, because everything around us proclaims His being. Our hearts crave faith, as the body, food; and, without doubt, we believe most frequently without exercising reason. Faith wavers as soon as we begin to argue. But even then our hearts say, perhaps I shall yet again believe instinctively.

Many in our world today do not maintain their religious opinions with the positiveness of a devotee, but, however, through reason; and so it is that our world of the present is maintained.

To many, religion is very simple. They look to the universe, so vast, so complex, so magnificent, and say to themselves that it cannot be the result of chance, but the work, however intended, of an unknown, omnipotent being, as superior to man as the universe yet proves superior to his finest machines.

Search the philosophers, and you will not find a more decisive argument than this, and you cannot weaken it. But this truth is too binding for man. We wish to know, respecting ourselves and respecting our future destiny, a crowd of secrets which the universe does not disclose. Of this we allow religion to inform us of what we feel the need of knowing, and we respect these disclosures.

This then is the basic principle which draws man into a deep religious bond, and it is for this reason that we are urged to bind ourselves more closely to our respective religion. This then, too, is one of the basic aims of Religious Emphasis Week, which in a short time will be with us on this campus.

—Bill Morse

They're Talking About . . .

THEY'RE TALKING ABOUT . . . the grade reports at the end of the first semester . . . the number of marriages between semesters . . . the Tower Choir tour and television performance.

THEY'RE TALKING ABOUT . . . new courses and new schedules for the new semester . . . the crowning of the Tower Queen . . . snowy sidewalks and slick streets . . . warmer weather . . . Help Week for TKE . . . sorority rush week . . .

THEY'RE TALKING ABOUT . . . the new building program soon to start . . . the new chemistry laboratory on third floor . . . new chairs in the Den . . .

THEY'RE TALKING ABOUT . . . the acoustical treatment for room 207 . . . mid-semester exams scheduled for March 24-29 . . . three sports writers on the Dean's list . . . Nancy Kariger flying to Panama . . . ice skating on the College pond.

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Local Churches Extend Welcome

The local churches of Maryville again extend an invitation to College students to attend the church of their choice each Sunday morning.

Sunday masses are at 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. at St. Mary's Church and at 6:30 a.m., 8 a.m., and 10 a.m. at St. Patrick's Church.

Sunday School begins at 9:30 a.m. at the First Baptist Church; Laura Street Baptist Church; First Christian Church; First Church of Christ, Scientist; First Methodist Church; and the First Presbyterian Church.

Sunday morning worship services begin at 10:40 at the two Baptist churches; 10:45 at the Christian Methodist, and Presbyterian churches; and at 11 at the First Church of Christ, Scientist.

The Church of Christ begins its Bible study hour at 10 a.m. and its communion service at 11 a.m.

Church school begins at 10 a.m. at the Reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints. The morning worship service begins at 11 a.m.

The Jehovah's Witnesses have a Saturday night service at 8 and a Sunday afternoon service at 3.

Catholics Give Books to Library

Eight books and two magazines donated by the Newman Club recently arrived in the library.

The two magazines are the "Catholic Digest" and the "Sign." The books are the following: PRINCIPLES OF EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY, by Cummins; THE LIFE OF CHRIST, by Ricciotti and Zizania; THREE TO GET MARRIED, by Fulton J. Sheen; PSYCHIATRY AND CATHOLICISM, Vanderbilt and Odenwald; LOVE AND CONSEQUENCES, which is a radio talk by Leo Gayles; A POPULAR HISTORY OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH, Phillip Hughes; CATHOLIC SOCIAL PRINCIPLES, Cronin; A CATHOLIC DICTIONARY, Donald Altwater.

For the convenience of Catholic students, the two magazines, the "Sign" and the "Catholic Digest" can be found in the Student Union.

Tower Choir Gives Television Program At Close of Tour

During the week between semesters the forty-voice Tower Choir took its annual concert tour throughout southwest Iowa and northwest Missouri. The Tower Choir, under the direction of Mr. Gilbert Whitney, presented eleven concerts, including a half-hour program over KFEQ-TV in St. Joseph.

Accompanied by Mr. Everett Brown of the Field Service Office, the choir appeared before an estimated four to five thousand people on its four-day concert swing.

Showing a great deal of diversity, the choir included in its programs such well known numbers as Schubert's "Ave Maria" and the Scottish folk heritage, "Annie Laurie," as well as some contemporary music.

Also included in the concerts were informal selections from "Of Thee I Sing," directed by Anna Roberts.

The choir took along with it both instrumental and vocal soloists who appeared in the various cities. The choir wound up its 360 mile tour with its television performance in St. Joseph.

The Stroller . . .

The Stroller offers his best wishes to Nancy Kariger on her recent engagement. Nancy flew from Kansas City to Balboa, Panama Canal Zone, to accept her ring and to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents. Her trip was far from a calm one. Nancy missed her scheduled flight because the electricity was off for an hour and consequently her alarm clock was an hour late. Fortunately she was able to catch another plane and arrive in time for her engagement party. It just shows to go you that a person can't trust modern convenience.

Dr. Grube's English 11b class was in progress as the Stroller stopped to gaze through the window. Among the papers being analyzed was one entitled "How to Make Your Lawn Beautiful." The Stroller noted that the theme was not of the usual freshman caliber, but one of extraordinary talent. This is to be expected because the author is not a freshman. He is a senior.

The Stroller also notes that everything on the campus is buckling: shoes, caps, shirts, trousers, and coats. Over in Quad 4 Darryl Chiles was sporting an Ivy League haircut. One wonders how soon he will be trimming a buckle on the back of his head. The Ivy League caps are really making a hit on the campus. The Stroller has noted at times that even President Jones, Everett Brown and Dean Wilson have been seen in the new style headwear.

Headrick Teaches in Lawson James R. Headrick, who was graduated from the College in 1956, is teaching agriculture and science courses in the Lawson high school.

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Pictures Are Available To Brighten Your Rooms

Any student living on the campus may select the work of a famous artist for his room. A large collection of well known pictures is available at the Library, announces Mr. James Johnson, librarian.

Portraits, landscapes, still life, and modernistic styles may be had. Should the one chosen not give the desired effect, it may be exchanged at any time for another.

Campus Briefs

Dale Blackwell, instructor in business classes at the College, was one of the speakers at the Business and Professional Women's Club meeting, January 23.

Darlene Dilks, Janice Olenius, and Laveta Wolf were appointed at the last Colhecon meeting to make arrangements for the Colhecon dinner to be held at Armstrong's.

February 9 is the date for the next meeting.

Mrs. K. M. Vitzthum, mother of Mrs. Ruby Wispe of the speech department, died recently after a long illness. Mrs. Vitzthum, age 74, was a resident of Chicago, Illinois.

Dr. John Harr, head of the social science department at the College, attended his brother's funeral in Sparta, Wisconsin, Monday, January 28.

One of the campus marriages taking place earlier in the school year was that of Miss Ella Sophie Erp to John Alvin Sorlie. Both are graduating seniors at the College.

Week to Be Final in Spring

Rush Week will be from February 4, to Friday, Feb. 8. Members of the Pan-Hellenic Council have recently released rules for Rush Week.

Rush Week will be in which each rushee is requested to fill out a preference sheet in Mrs. Luer's office, 212 Administration building, by Friday. Bids may be made in Mrs. Luer's office by Friday.

Members of the Pan-Hellenic Council are Norma Long, president; Betty Taylor, vice-president; Marilyn O'Connor, secretary; Barbara Julius, Jean Swan, Margaret O'Connor, Carol Elizabeth Westergaard, and Griffin, members.

Life Emphasized Speakers

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Traveling around the world by air more than 35,000 miles, visiting 21 countries, including Japan, Philippines, India—and spending time in the Holy Land. He will be one of the major addresses at the World Convention of Christians meeting in Melbourne, Australia.

Easton received her S. from Mt. Holyoke; her S. from Simmons School of Social Work at Columbia University.

She was born in Turkey and spent her childhood in Beirut. During that time she traveled around the world and visited the Atlantic and Mediterranean coasts several times.

Easton is a member of two state boards of the United Church of Christ in Missouri and the Presbyterian Board of Christian Social Service. She is also a member of the Y. W. Y. B. of Directors of the Y. W. Y. in Kansas City, and of the Committee of the group of the Recreation Division of the Council of Social Agencies of the city.

George has been professor of psychology and philosophy at Notre Dame since 1925. He received his B. A. from Beaver College, Beaver, Pennsylvania. He received his Ph. D. from Duke University.

Stack received his B. A. from St. Benedict's College, Kansas; M. S., from Notre Dame University; and attended summer school at Notre Dame.

Stack has also visited every state in the United States, England, Ireland, Canada, and Mexico.

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Mr. Howard Ringold, right, receives best wishes from the 1957 Tower Queen, Carolyn Ogden, and the Tower editor, Shirley Motsinger, after it was announced that Mr. Ringold is the person to whom the College yearbook will be dedicated.

Carolyn Ogden Becomes Queen Of 'Tower' at February Dance

Carolyn Ogden, a sophomore from Maryville, was crowned by Art Buckingham, student body president, as Queen of the Tower, at the annual Tower Dance, Saturday, February 2, in the Union. Miss Ogden's attendants were Barbara Sharp, of Craig, and Beverly Conway, of Stuart, Iowa.

Shirley Motsinger, Tower editor, revealed that this year's Tower is dedicated to Mr. Harold Ringold, sponsor of the year book.

Little Johnny Beecher's ten piece band from Omaha provided the dance music for the affair. The band featured a vocalist and several special numbers.

Arrangements for the dance were made by Shirley Motsinger, Tower editor; Gloria McConkey, assistant editor; and Carol Gamble, art editor, in conjunction with the social committee.

Chaperons for the dance were Mr. and Mrs. Burton Richey, Mr. and Mrs. Luther G. Belcher, and Dr. and Mrs. Frank K. Grube.

Angman Covers Policies Evident in Middle East

Dr. Berndt G. Angman, social science professor, was the speaker at a meeting of the American Association of University Women, Tuesday afternoon, February 5, in the Horace Mann library. "Present Administrative Policies on Middle East Problems" was the topic of his talk.

This meeting was the last of three which dealt with the problems of the Middle East.

Mrs. Lula Sheetz is the chairman of the international relations committee which sponsored the series of lectures.

Valk to Be Leader At K. C. Convention

Mr. Donald Valk, chairman of the Industrial Arts department, has been selected to serve as chairman of the Student Demonstration Committee of the national American Industrial Arts Association convention to be held at Hotel Muehlebach, Kansas City, April 21-25.

This is the first time the national convention will be held in Kansas City. Sixteen midwest institutions will act as hosts to the nation.

As chairman of the Student Demonstration Committee, Mr. Valk plans to send letters to every state in the country requesting information for the demonstration teams. These demonstrations will probably be of new materials and new methods of work in the Industrial Arts field.

As of now Mr. Valk has not chosen the demonstration team from Northwest Missouri State College, but plans to do so. The College will be well represented in Kansas City this spring.

Benz and Taylor Talk

At the meeting of the AAUW held Tuesday, January 29, Dr. John S. Taylor and Mr. George A. Benz of the College's social science department presented a discussion of the Mid-East crises.

Dr. Cozine Is Chosen For Home Ec Research In Schools of Pakistan

Dr. June Cozine, a former member of the College faculty, has been chosen to make an extended study in home economics in the schools of Pakistan. She and two other teachers have already left on the trip.

Before leaving, Dr. Cozine had been teaching at Oklahoma A. & M. College, where she is chairman of the department of home economics education.

During the time of their study, the three women will confer with Foreign Agriculture Organization officials in Rome as to Home Economics developments in the Far and Middle East. They will also visit Colleges of Home Economics in Ankara and Istanbul, Baghdad, New Delhi, Bangkok, Hong Kong, Tokyo, Manila, and Honolulu, and will confer with former students of Oklahoma A. & M.

Symbols of Fun Week Are Burlap Skirts and Candy

Burlap skirts were the dress of the Alpha Sigma Alpha pledges last week as they embarked on "fun week." During this time the pledges provided activities with candy and special favors and showed their respect by standing and addressing the activities.

With their sorority paddles signed, the pledges were "put to the test" on Friday night. They returned tired and weary but happy after a hectic scavenger hunt. Original sorority songs, written by the novices, completed the evening's entertainment for the group.

Attention—

New Freshmen!

All new freshmen are required to take freshmen orientation. This class meets Wednesdays at 4 p. m. Students encountering difficulty in scheduling the class should check in the Dean's office.

"It is important that the students concerned take orientation at this time since graduation depends on their having received credit for this course," Dr. Charles E. Koerber, dean of the College faculty, has announced.

Holiday in Paris Is Dolphin Theme

"Holiday in Paris" will be the theme of the annual Sigma Phi Dolphin Swim Club show. Three performances of the show will be given on March 28, 29, and 30.

Stunt Captain Beverly Blohm is the director of the show. Barbara Benning, Marilyn O'Connor, Mary Jane Bridgewater, Nancy Kariger, Jean Sue Burnham, Shirley Dieterich, Carla Ripstein and Margie O'Connor, will also direct numbers in the show.

Carla Ripstein was elected secretary-treasurer of the club to replace Charlene Olson.

College Faculty Attends After-Meet Coffee Hour

After the faculty meeting held before the beginning of the second semester, the College faculty had a coffee hour in the lounge.

Miss Mary Keith and Miss Chloe Millikan presided at the serving table. Miss Ann Sullivan, Mrs. Barbara Gayler, Miss Mabel Cook, Mrs. Marjorie Person, Miss Irene Mueller, Miss Estella Bowman, Miss Kathryn Riddle, and Mrs. Ruby Wispe assisted the committee in charge of arrangements.

Misses Simons and Ross Return From Washington

Miss Lois Simons, director of student activities, and Miss Mildred E. Ross, of the education department, have recently returned from Washington, D. C., where they were witnesses to the 1957 Presidential inauguration. While in the area, branch tours were taken to Williamsburg and Jamestown, Virginia, and to New York City.

Dr. George to Be Guest At Phi Sigma's Banquet

Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity will have its annual Founders' Day banquet in the Union, Tuesday, February 12.

Dr. George from Tarkio will be the guest speaker for the group. His talk will be in connection with Religious Emphasis Week.

Following the speech, a short business meeting will be conducted. Walter Maris is in charge of the menu and arranging for the use of the Union.

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Bearcats and Mules Tangle in MIAA Ti

Warrensburg Has Balanced Attack And Much Height

The Warrensburg Mules, fresh from an earlier season win over the Bearcats come to Maryville next Saturday, February 9, to try to continue the jinx on the ill-fated men of Coach Bob Gregory. The Mules won the earlier season tussle by a score of 71-62.

In fact, the Bearcats haven't come out on top in the last three encounters with the Warrensburg cagers and are long overdue for a win. Warrensburg is in third place in the MIAA while the Bearcats are resting in fourth spot.

Bearcats Have Slight Edge

The Bearcats have a slight edge on Warrensburg in the average points scored per game with 67.92 for Maryville as contrasted to 65.08 points per game for the Mules.

On a basis of points given up the two teams are even more closely matched. Warrensburg's opponents have been averaging some 71.31 points per game while the teams the Bearcats have been playing have been averaging 72.25, with less than one point separating the two teams on team defense.

Alcorn Is Top Scorer

Maryville's big gun Bob Alcorn has been averaging more than 17 points per conference tilt while Warrensburg's top scorer, Schromm, has been hitting two points less per game. But on the other hand, Warrensburg's team has four men listed as leading scorers in the MIAA while the Bearcats list only two players, Alcorn and Ray.

It appears as if the Mules could throw a balanced scoring attack at the Bearcats come Saturday night, but with a good crowd at the Men's Gym, coupled with a home floor to play on, the men of Coach Gregory just might end the Warrensburg jinx.

Bearcats Win Over Benedict's Ravens On Last Half Play

After a cold first half, Coach Bob Gregory's Bearcats settled down to outplay St. Benedict's fine young basketball team and came up with a 55-49 victory here last Tuesday night. Paced by Marland Ray's 17 points and Bob Alcorn's superb second half play, the 'Cats were able to put the game on ice in the closing minutes of play.

Leading 47-45, with only three minutes left in the closely fought contest, the Bearcats jumped out in front by four when Alcorn broke through the St. Benedict defense for two points. Seconds later St. Benedict's McCarthy cut the lead to only two points when he scored on a long jump shot.

After both teams had missed on opportunities to cash in on fielders, Dick Phillips drew a foul. The hard-driving senior from Elmo scored on both charity shots, and the Bearcats had the ball game wrapped up. In the closing seconds Ron Partridge added a pair of free throws, and Ray and Ed Kavanaugh, one each, giving the Bearcats win number 7, against 8 losses.

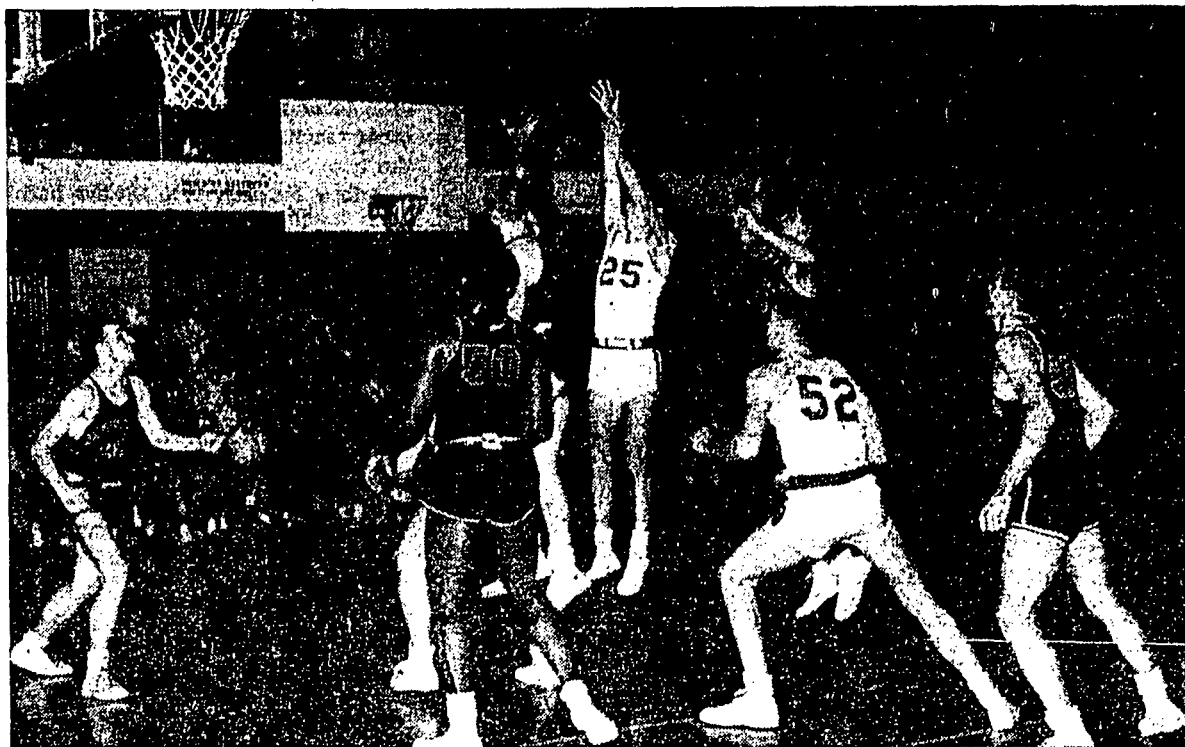
The victory was due in a large part to the excellent rebounding of Alcorn, Kavanaugh, and Partridge, and the fine defensive work of the 'Cats in the second half. The ball-hawking Phillips led the defense that allowed St. Benedict's only twenty shots from the floor after intermission.

Ray's 15 first-half counters carried the men from NWMSC to a slim 25-24 lead at intermission even though St. Benedict's controlled the boards and were getting many more shots.

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CHALK UP TWO MORE . . . Bob Alcorn, Bearcat ace, and also top scorer in the MIAA, is shown here shooting his favorite jump shot in the game against St. Benedict's. Alcorn stayed right with his season average of 17.5 points per game by pouring through 17 points during the evening. The Bearcats won the hard fought tilt by a score of 55-49 over the favored Ravens.

Random Shots . . .

By Richard Fleming

It was a great night for the Bearcats on Tuesday, January 29, when the basketball team played one of its better games of the season in downing the tough St. Benedict's Ravens 55-49. The Bearcats in upsetting the Ravens, one of the best teams in the area, for the second straight year (Maryville beat the Ravens 61-50 last year) needed some clutch free throw shooting in the last minutes by Dick Phillips and Ron Partridge to clinch the game after Maryville had led most of the way.

The Maryville B-team lost to the Ravens' B-team 58-53 after leading at the end of the first half. The "Little" Bearcats couldn't hit in the second half and thus fell behind.

The victory over St. Benedict's was the second straight win for the Bearcats, who won their first conference game of the season over Rolla on the 26th. The 'Cats beat Rolla 79-71 after leading all the way behind Bob Alcorn's 24-point shooting.

Bob's 24 points against the Miners probably put him into the conference scoring lead since the former leader, Bob Rineberg, of the Rolla Miners, was held to six points by the Bearcats.

The MIAA conference, of which Maryville is a member, has quit the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA) after belonging to it ever since its beginning. The difference in eligibility rules was given as the reason. NAIA rules require that an athlete sit out for 18 weeks after transferring schools, while MIAA rules require only a 12 weeks' wait. The MIAA was reluctant to accept the 18 weeks' rule because all but one of its members are on the quarter system. Maryville is the only conference school on the semester system. The MIAA has furnished several NAIA basketball champions in recent years.

The move may prove to be unfortunate to both the conference and the association.

Jacobs Hits 33; "B's" Win 93-92

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Needing a five minute overtime period to come out on top, the Bearcat "B" team defeated the Clarinda Junior College in a high scoring battle 93-92, on Friday, February 1.

Led by Ken Jacobs who hit a fantastic 33 points and accounted for more than one third of the total Bearcat points himself, and paced by Freddie Baxter and Harlan Higginbotham, who hit 20 and 13 points, respectively, the Bearcats fought to the wire to come out in the tough cage tussle.

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With intramural basketball about one-half over the Sig Taus are leading the league with a 15-2 record. The standings are following:

Sig Taus	15	2
Phi Sigs	11	4
TKE	7	10
Independents	2	15
Guys	3	2
Tiger Den	3	2
APQ	1	2
Skunks	1	3

Leading scorers for their five teams have been Dick gun, Marvin Murphy, and ren Landis for the Sig Taus; Crowley, Paul Zachary, and Horner for the Phi Sigs; Sterner, Phil Ullerick, and Bruggeman for TKE.

The intramural round basketball season will end with each selecting an all-star team to compete in an elimination tournament. Outstanding players from tournament will do battle with B team before a varsity tilt.

The intramural free throw test is scheduled for Wednesday, February 13, in the main gym.

Rules for this year's contest are as follows: Each organization may have unlimited tries, best four from each organization are taken, each contestant will shoot 25 free throws and each contestant must make from the free throw line each shot.

Close competition marks year's contest with the Sig sinking 77 per cent of the shots to take the title.

Bearcats Drop Two; Rolla and Cape Win

The Bearcats dropped two games on the road last week. Cape Girardeau topped the 'Cats 67-49 Friday night and the Rolla Miners rolled over the men of Coach Bob Gregory by a score of 72-67 after losing an earlier decision to the Bearcats 79-71 in a game played at Maryville.

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